

## Coachella Valley Integrated Regional Water Management Implementation Grant Proposal

### *AB 1420 and Water Meter Compliance*

Attachment 13 consists of the following items:

✓ **AB 1420 Self Certification Forms**

CVWD and MSWD are both urban water suppliers that would receive grant funding, and have therefore completed and submitted AB 1420 Self-Certification Tables 1 and 2.

✓ **Water Meter Compliance Forms**

CVWD and MSWD are both urban water suppliers that would receive grant funding, and have therefore completed and submitted the Water Meter Compliance forms.

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As defined in the *IRWM Grant Program Guidelines*, all urban water suppliers must provided the required documentation of compliance with AB 1420 (CWC §10631.5) and water meter implementation (CWC §525 *et seq.*).

#### **AB 1420 Self Certification Forms**

AB 1420 conditions the receipt of IRWM grant funds on implementation of demand management measures in compliance with CWC §10631. There are two urban water suppliers included in this grant proposal which must also comply with AB 1420 requirements: CVWD and MSWD. CVWD submitted AB 1420 self certification forms to DWR with the recent *Coachella Valley IRWM Planning Grant Proposal*. DWR has responded with a confirmation letter that CVWD is in compliance with AB 1420 and is eligible for state grants and loans (Appendix 13-1).

One original hard copy of the AB 1420 Self Certification form for MSWD was submitted in a separate envelope, and an electronic version of this form is available in Appendix 13-2.

#### **Water Meter Compliance Forms**

CWC §529.5 requires urban water suppliers applying for IRWM grant funds to demonstrate that they meet the State's water meter requirements. There are two urban water suppliers included in this grant proposal which must also comply with Water Meter requirements: CVWD and MSWD. DWR has responded with a confirmation letter that CVWD is in compliance with water meter compliance regulations and is eligible for state grants and loans (Appendix 13-1).

One original hard copy of the AB Water Meter Compliance form for MSWD was submitted in a separate envelope, and an electronic version of this form is available as Appendix 13-2.



Appendix 13-1: CVWD Compliance Letter

STATE OF CALIFORNIA – CALIFORNIA NATURAL RESOURCES AGENCY

ARNOLD SCHWARZENEGGER, Governor

DEPARTMENT OF WATER RESOURCES

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November 9, 2010

Mr. Steve Robbins  
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85-995 Avenue 52  
Coachella, California 92236

Dear Mr. Robbins:

The Department of Water Resources (DWR) has reviewed the Coachella Valley Water District's (CVWD) Self-Certification Statement – Table 1 dated September 20, 2010, regarding implementation of the Urban Best Management Practices (BMPs).

The purpose of DWR's review is to determine eligibility of CVWD to receive water management grant or loan funds. DWR has followed the *Draft AB 1420 Compliance Requirements* dated June 1, 2009. For detailed information, please visit <http://www.water.ca.gov/wateruseefficiency/finance/>.

Based on DWR's review of the information in Table 1, CVWD has and is currently implementing the BMPs consistent with AB 1420 and, therefore, is eligible to receive water management grant or loan funds.

DWR reserves the right to request additional information and documentation, including reports from CVWD to substantiate the accuracy of the information provided in Table 1. DWR may reverse or modify its eligibility determination and notify you and the funding agency if inaccuracies are found in the supporting documentation or in Table 1.

If you have any questions, please contact me at (916) 651-7025 or Jodi Evans at (916) 651-7026.

Sincerely,

Fethi BenJemaa  
Ag Water Use Efficiency Section Chief

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California State Water Resources Control Board  
California Department of Water Resources  
California Department of Public Health



**CERTIFICATION FOR  
COMPLIANCE WITH WATER METERING REQUIREMENTS  
FOR FUNDING APPLICATIONS**

Funding Agency name: Department of Water Resources

Funding Program name: Prop 84 Implementation Grant

Applicant (Agency name): Mission Springs Water District

Project Title (as shown on application form): Groundwater Quality

Protection Project - Mission Springs Water District

Please check one of the boxes below and sign and date this form.

☐ As the authorized representative for the applicant agency, I certify under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California, that the agency is not an urban water supplier, as that term is understood pursuant to the provisions of section 529.5 of the Water Code.

☒ As the authorized representative for the applicant agency, I certify under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California, that the applicant agency has fully complied with the provisions of Division 1, Chapter 8, Article 3.5 of the California Water Code (sections 525 through 529.7 inclusive) and that ordinances, rules, or regulations have been duly adopted and are in effect as of this date.

I understand that the Funding Agency will rely on this signed certification in order to approve funding and that false and/or inaccurate representations in this Certification Statement may result in loss of all funds awarded to the applicant for its project. Additionally, for the aforementioned reasons, the Funding Agency may withhold disbursement of project funds, and/or pursue any other applicable legal remedy.

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**Name of Authorized Representative  
(Please print)**

General Manager

**Title**

**Signature**

12/27/2010

**Date**





# Appendix 13-2: MSWD AB 1420 and Water Meter Compliance Forms

C1 C2 C3 C4 C5 C6 C7 C8 C9 C10 C11 C12 C13 C14 C15 C16 C17 C18

BMPs required for Wholesale Supplier	BMPs required for Retail Supplier	BMPs	BMP Implemented by Retailers and/or Wholesalers / BMP			Compliance Options/Alternative Conservation Approaches (1)			BMP Is Exempt (2)			BMP Implementation Requirements Met				
			Retailer Yes/No	Wholesaler Yes/No	Regional Yes/No	BMP Checklist	Flex Track	Gallons Per Capita Per Day GPCD	Not Cost Effective	Lack of Funding	Lack of Legal Authority	CUWCC MOU Requirement Met: Retailer Yes/No	CUWCC MOU Requirement Met: Wholesaler Yes/No	Date of BMP Report Submitted to CUWCC for (2007-2008) (MOU Signatories) (3)	Date BMP Implementation Data Submitted to DWR in CUWCC Format (Non MOU Signatories) (3)	All Supporting Documents have been Submitted Yes/No
		BMP 4 Metering with Commodity Rates for All New connections	Yes			✓								Reported in 2005 UWMP and will be updated in 2010 UWMP Update	Reported in 2005 UWMP and will be updated in 2010 UWMP Update	Yes
		BMP 4 Retrofit of Existing Connections	N/A			N/A								All metered		Yes
		BMP 5 Large Landscape Conservation Programs and Incentives	Yes			✓								Reported in 2005 UWMP and will be updated in 2010 UWMP Update	Reported in 2005 UWMP and will be updated in 2010 UWMP Update	Yes
		BMP 6 High-Efficiency Washing Machine Rebate Programs	Exempt					✓	✓					Alternate compliance will be documented in 2010 UWMP Update	Alternate compliance will be documented in 2010 UWMP Update	No
✓	✓	BMP 7 Public Information	Yes			✓								Reported in 2005 UWMP and will be updated in 2010 UWMP Update	Reported in 2005 UWMP and will be updated in 2010 UWMP Update	Yes
✓	✓	BMP 8 School Education	Yes			✓								Reported in 2005 UWMP and will be updated in 2010 UWMP Update	Reported in 2005 UWMP and will be updated in 2010 UWMP Update	Yes
		BMP 9 Conservation programs for Commercial, Industrial, and Institutional (CII) Accounts	Yes			✓								Reported in 2005 UWMP and will be updated in 2010 UWMP Update	Reported in 2005 UWMP and will be updated in 2010 UWMP Update	Yes
✓		BMP 10 Wholesale Agency Assistance Programs	N/A								✓			Not applicable	Not applicable	
	✓	BMP 11 Conservation Pricing	Yes			✓								Reported in 2005 UWMP and will be updated in 2010 UWMP Update	Reported in 2005 UWMP and will be updated in 2010 UWMP Update	Yes
✓	✓	BMP 12 Conservation Coordinator	Yes			✓								Reported in 2005 UWMP and will be updated in 2010 UWMP Update	Reported in 2005 UWMP and will be updated in 2010 UWMP Update	Yes
		BMP 13 Water Waste Prohibitions	Yes			✓								Reported in 2005 UWMP and will be updated in 2010 UWMP Update	Reported in 2005 UWMP and will be updated in 2010 UWMP Update	Yes
		BMP 14 Residential ULFT Replacement Programs	Exempt					✓	✓					Alternate compliance will be documented in 2010 UWMP Update	Alternate compliance will be documented in 2010 UWMP Update	No

\*C6: Wholesaler may also be a retailer (supplying water to end water users)  
 \*\*C8, \*\*C9, \*\* and C10: Agencies choosing an alternative conservation approach are responsible for achieving water savings equal or greater than that which they would have achieved using only BMP list.  
 (1) For details, please see: <http://www.cuwcc.org/mou/exhibit-1-bmp-definitions-schedules-requirements.aspx>.  
 (2) BMP is exempt based on cost-effectiveness, lack of funding, and lack of legal authority criteria as detailed in the CUWCC MOU  
 (3) Non MOU signatories must submit to DWR reports and supporting documents in the same format as CUWCC.